## WASHINGTON.

MATTERS OF INTEREST FROM THE NATIONAL CAPITAL.

Commissioner Roosevelt's Views in Regard to the Payment of Campaign Contributions.

The Reasons Given by an Arkansas Postmaster for Resigning—A Petition from Onbans in Favor of Reciprocity.

The Behring Sea Question in a Fair Way to be Settled-Mrs. Howe's Brief Honeymoon Ended by Death-The Counted Quorum to be Tested in the Courts-President Harrison to Vote -Notes

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30 .- A well known Washington, Oct. 30.—A well known Republican leader, not now in office, but prominently connected with the congressional campaign committee, has recipied from Hon. Theodore Rossevelt, civil service commissioner, a contribution of \$50, to be used for the legitimate campaign expenses inanyacongressional district where it is needed. Ex-Governor Hugh Thompson also a member of the commission, has sent in a contribution in aid of the Democratic cause. In convention today Mr. Rossevelt said:

"There is no reason why, under a Republican administration, all the contributions should be made to the Republican campaign fund, and under a Democratic a uninistration they should all be to the Democratic fund. The clerks are as much at liberty to contribute to one party as to another, and they are perfectly as an after to make the contribution if they so prefer. Within the classified service the employee are under obligations to no party. Governor Phompson is a Democrat. serving under this administration; he mai.s. a contribution to aid his party. I am a contribution to aid his party. I am a Republican; I aid mine. If we did not want to contribute, we would not No one can force a government employe to contribute. Nor, if he desires to contrib contribute. Nor, if he desires to contribute, compel him to contribute to this
party rather than that. That is all there
is in the question, except that no other
employe shall directly or indirectly solicit
from any other employe, and none shall
give or take from another employe. If
there are political clubs of which the government employes are members, there is
no reason why they should not be Democrats as well as Republican. But any of
them will be prosecuted in case we have
evidence of their trying to force contributions by intimidating."

ar manufacturers union, of Cuba, to cigar manufacturers union, of Culus, to the Spanish government, urging the adop-tion of a reciprocity treaty between the island of Cuba and the United States. The petitioners assert that they are con-fronted with a simple problem. On the one side ruin, stagnation, misery and vague hopes, and on the other side abun-dance, wealth and a promising future.

THE BEHRING SEA QUESTION.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 50.—The interrupted diplomatic negotiations between the United States and Great Britain, growing out of the Behring Sea seal fisheries, are about to be resumed. Mr. Bluine expect on Thursday to meet the British minister Sir Julian Pannectote and will then notify him to hand in definite proposals and projects for the arbitration to which Lard Salisbury has invited the United States on the Behring Sea question.

A WIDOWED BRIDE.

Washington, Oct 30.—Mr. Houghwell Howe, who was yesterday married to Miss Mary Butterworth, daughter of Represen-tative Butterworth of Ohio, died today of After the marriage vesterday of Miss

After the marriage yesterinay of Miss Butterworth to Mr. Howe, Mr. Howe ap-peared to be greatly relieved in mind, and to suffer less pain than for some time pre-viously. Toward evening, however, he grew rapidly worse. Throughout the grew rapi-ity worse. Throughout the night he was delirious and struggle suc-reeded struggle. Every effort was made by his physician to relieve the heart of the patient, and to quiet him. Mr. Howe's ravings increased in violence, and it was even necessary to make use of hypodermi-injections to quiet the patient. A sad night it was for the young bride. All through the weavy watches she sat by the sick bed, not retiring nor resting for a mo-ment, until 6 o'clock this merning, when she took an hour's rest. Later on, as the morning passed, Mr. Howe's heart was found to be jumping at a fearful rate, and shortly after noon he died. G ouped around the bedside at the time were the young bride of a day, Dr. and Mrs. Hoos, Dr. Magruder and Isaac Roos. Mr. Howe was the son of the late Col. Frank E. Howe of New York, and was well known both in this city and New York. At the time of his death he was the dispatch agent at New York for the state department. He had held the position of private secretary to Postmaster James, and disbursing officer of the International American conference.

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THE COUNTED QUORUM.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—The proposition is made to test the legality of the counted ts made to test the legality of the counted quorum by taking the customs administrative bill into court. That will bring the question squarely before the Unite-States supreme court. When the bill passed the house originally, many Democrats voted against it. The vote stood 138 to 121. But the senate made some changes, and a conference was necessary. The conference report was adopted in the house by a yote of 127 to 13, most of the Democrats refusing to vote. The point of no quorum was raised. The speaker counted a quorum from those who were present and declared the report adopted. entertained. clared the report adopted.

THE PRESIDENT.

Washington, Oct. 30.—President Harrison and Attorney General Miller will leave Washington for Indianapolis, either Sunday evening or Monday morning, for the purpose of voting.

MEXICAN RETALIATION.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—The department candidate is state is without information respecting the alleged imposition of a discriminating duty of \$500 per carload on American catteriors.

tie, which is reported from the west. Acting Secretary Adee says that when the Mexican government, by a decree issued a year ago, increased the duty on imported cattle and swine (which were general duties and not directed especially against the United States), the department of state was informed of the action within twenty-four hours, and while he cannot deny the last reported action, he is compelled to doubt it.

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THE SPANISH MINISTER.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 50.—Secretary Blaine desires the statement made that he did not request the recall of Senor Muruaga, as minister of Spain to the United States. He says it is not true that the relations between himself and the late minister had become strained, and that, on the contrary, the relations were friendly and pleasant. The minister's recall, says Mr. Blaine, was due solely to the change of administration in the Spanish government.

A Railroad Company Compelled to Refund Overcharges—The Alton Refuses to Advance Rates.

SECRETARY BLAINE. Washington, Oct 20.—Secretary Blaine, accompanied by Hon. William Walter Phelps, arrived here at 10 o'clock this evening. Arrangements were concluded for Mr. Blaine and the postmaster general to leave here at 9:40 o'clock Saturday morning for Philadelphia, to attend the meeting at the Academy of Music Saturday afternoon and the reception at the Union League club.

PENSIONS FOR KANSANS.

WASHINGTON. Oct. 30.—The following Kansans were granted pensions today:
Original—Oswin G. Morley, Clyde; Eugene Noblot, National Military home: William I. Fouts, McPherson; Clark Gray, Larned; Nathaniel Wise, Americus, William Hartwig, Cookville; Henry Hoffman, Hutteninson; John Boyd, Logan; George W. Tooley, Wellington; Andrew C. Blakely, Wheaton; Joseph E. Eldridge, Stark; George W. Dayhoff Reno; Eberle White, Latham; Jacob E. Riley, Kansas City, Pais Hafley, Leavenworth; Albert Johnson, Wellsville; George Waybright, Gladys.

MILWAUKEE, Oct. 30.—To izen, a church sublication nounces today that news 1 from the east that Archbis. St. Paul, has been summor unknown purpose, prevails here that Archbis been summoned to the Vation with his utterances public schools and computed to the Value of the National Teac at St. Paul last summer. PENSIONS FOR KANSANS.

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crament emplopes are members, there is no reason why they should not be Democrata as well as Republican. But any of them will be prosecuted in case we have evidence of their trying to force contributions by intimidating."

A PERSECUTED POSTMASTER.

Washington, Oct. 30.—The postmaster at Donaldison, Ark., after an eventful experience, has concluded to resign. Some of his neighbors, it appears, entertain personal objections to the postmaster: mainly, it is stated, on the ground that he was a Republican. The postmaster has written a letter to Postmaster General Wannmaker, in which he assigns his reasons for resigning. He says:

"Yesterday I was knocked down and kicked and stamped until I began to think I was used up. We have compromised; and I have agreed to resign. I am told that will seitle the whole matter. I am truly glad to get away from here. These people know not what they do. They think It is a disgrace to be a Republican."

The department has sent an inspector to investigate the matter.

A CUBAN PETITION.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—The department of state has received a copy of a petition forwarded by the tobacco growers and cigar manufacturers union. Of Cubar of Light manufacturers union.

not to be misled by such imposters.

"Letter, Dakotas from across the Cannon Ball came to me and asked my opinion about this new religion. Matowan-Nah-Taka, a Minnecongo vioux, they say, is the prophet of the Messiah, and all who do not believe in him he kills either quite dead, or brings them to life again in two days. The Indians believe in him and fear him. I am going to meet him and defeat him if possible. I have prep red a long speech for the Indians in which I enter into every detail of this subject and I nope to convince them of their error. To prove to them that Matowan-Nah-Taka has no power from God to kill whom he chooses, I would meet him face to face and tell him that I did not fear him.

"I intend to speak most earnestly to the Sioux. If any one else attempted to attack Matowan-Nah-Taka as I do I fear it would go hard with them, but the Indians know that I am their friend and that I speak only for their good.

BECOUNTS

RECOUNTS.

Washington, Oct. 30.—The recount craze has been shut off summarily. After Superintendent Porter had had a long talk Seccretary Noble he said quite de-

WASHINGTON Oct. 30.—Postmasters appointed today:
Kansas—P. Pierce, Astor, Greeley county; A. S. Brown, Duquoin, Harper county; J. H. Pearse, Liverpool, Stanton county; P. L. Craig, Spring Lake, Meade county; H. Adams, Powhattan, Brown county; J. Landich, St. Theresa, Wichita county; Wm. Murdock, Clifton.
Oklahama—W. L. Craig, Optima, Pub. Oklahoma-W. L. Crain, Optima, Pub-

THE TRAINMEN.

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Los Angelies, Cal., Oct. 30.—The national convention of the Brotherhood of Rallway Train en, which has been in session here for the past ten days, closed its labors last night, and finally adjourned. All the old officers were re-elected, and the federation was ratified. Boston was chosen as the next place of meeting. The motion in favor of the adoption of the Master Car Builders coupler was not entertained.

THE IOWA ALLIANCE.

DES MOINES, Ia., Oct. 50 .- The names of DES MOINES, Ia., Oct. 30.—The names of more than 700 delecates appear on the roll of the state convention of the Farmers' Alliance. The body is unwieldy and disorderly. Great confusion marked the proceedings today. The principal business was the election of officers. Many candidates appeared for each position, and several ballots were necessary in most cases. There was considerable discussion in regard to the disposition of \$16,00 in the hands of Scoretary Post, in connection part to the disposition of ele, we in the hands of Scoretary Post, in connection with the state purchasing agency, and the matter was finally satisfactorily explained. An attempt was made to have the conven-tion endorse J. M. Joseph, the Union Labor candidate for railroad commissioner, but the resolution was finally sent to the com-mittee on resolutions, which will report

HAPPINGS OF ALL KINDS AT HOME AND ABROAD.

to Advance Rates.

The Hessian Fly Said to be at Work on the Early-Sown Wheat in Kansas and Missouri-Nebraska Prohibitionists Attempt to Prevent Naturalized Foreigners from Voting-In General

MILWAUREE, Oct. 30.—The Catholic Citizen, a church publication of this city, announces today that news has been received from the east that Archbishop Ireland, of St. Paul, has been summoned to Rome for an unknown purpose. The impression prevalls here that Archbishop Ireland has been summoned to the Vatican, in connection with his utterances in favor of the public schools and compulsory education before the National Teachers' association at St. Paul last summer.

A DENIAL.

Solutions of Mellsville; George Waybright, Gladys.

Increase—Benjamin F. Roush, Hill City;
John B. Smith, Osborne; James Parks,
Benton; Napoleon Tulip, Horton; Henry
Allison, Beattie; William Hardenbrook,
Wellington; Lemuel Licurance, Edmond;
Albert Hiland, Haddam; Henry Butt,
Narka; Austin Gwin, Fort Scott; George
R. St. Clair, Cherryvale: John French,
Edna; Daniel B. Smith, Wanetta; Thomas
Brayman, Belleville; Eric Aughund, Norton; William F. Hammon, Altamont;
Samuel Broughton, Cherryvale.
Keissue—Kindred H. Malone, Chantanqua; Thomas Crawford, Oakley: John W.
Ready, North Topeka; John H. Beseoni,
Troy.
Reissue and increase—Lewis Jones,
Seneca.
Original widows, etc., reissue—Abner,
father of Jacob Cable, Columbus.

THE INDIAN MESSIAH.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—T. A. Bland,
corresponding secretary of the national
Indian deferes association, bus resisted al, and, if the occasion offers in Minnesota. sal education, receive my heartiest approv-al, and, if the occasion offers in Minnesota, will obtain my political support."

RAILWAY DISCRIMINATION.

DES MOINES, Ia., Oct. 30.—The supreme court has affirmed the decision of the Jasper district court, giving Cook and Wheel ock, stock dealers of Newton, judgment ngainst the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific railroad for \$2.750. The case is important to stock dealers generally. The Rock Island was in the habit of giving certain favored chippers a secret relate on the favored shippers a secret rebate on the freight on each car. Cook and Wheelock proved the existence of this rebate system, and the court held that it was an unjust discrimination, and that the plaintiffs had been overcharged n amount on each car they shipped, equal to the rebate given to

PACKING HOUSE PRODUCTS.

CHICAGO, Oct. 30.—At the special meeting of the Western Freight association, the question of what changes should be made in the rates on hogs and packing house products to equalize them, in accordance with the order of the interstate commerce commission, was the one subject considered. After a general discussion of the structuration and come. the situation and some strong arguments from the representatives of the various roads in favor of "evening up." instead of "evening down" the rates, a resolution was offered providing that the rate on packing house providing that the rate on packing house products be advanced from 18 cents to 25 cents per 100 pounds from the Missonri river to Chicago, the former figures, being the present rate on hogs. Every road voted for the resolution except the Alton, which has already filed notice of its intention to reduce the rate on hogs to the 18 cent basis. It was thus demonstrated that all the lines except the Alton are in favor of an absolute maintenance of the existing rates on live stock and of meeting existing rates on live stock and of meeting the requirements of the law by an ad-vance, instead of a reduction of the estab-lished tariffs. A vote of the Alton in the negative de

A vote of the Alton in the negative, defeated the resolution, but the rest were all apparent of one mind. A committee was appointed to wait upon Gen-ral Vanager Chappell, of the Alton, and ascertain whether he could be persuaded to modify his proposition. The meeting thereupon adjourned, to await the action of the committee, which soon afterward obtained a conference with Mr. Chappell in the latter's office. It was represented to that gentleman that a reduction of 7 ceuts per 100 pounds on hogs from the Missouri river would not only be a serious matter in itself, and affecting the revenues of all lines, but would result in pulling down

with Seccretary Noble he said quite decidelly.

"It is too late now for anybody to complain. Philadelphia will be treated just as New York was, and the official count of the whole country will be announced next. Monday. There have not been many complaints, but if we should stop to listen to every one who magines that his city or town has not been made large enough, the next decade would roll around before we had finished this census. There is no more reason to suppose that Philadelphia will be accommodated with a new count than there is that Washington will. The matter will be settled in a few days, and then we will all have to wait untill the next census that have to wait untill the next census the rates from Omaha and fowa points, and he intimated that there were certain lines in the southwest whose contracts with Kansas City shippers would make it impossible for them to maintain a 25 cent rate on packing house products, even though they night pretend to do so.

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receded from its original position, the comnittee gathered from the interview that a mittee gathered from the interview that a compromise basis of adjustment might be favorably considered. It therefore went into secret session, and, after a long discussion, agreed upon a proposal to be submitted to the Alton people tomorrow. It is understood that this plan is to bring the two roads together on a twenty-two-cent basis, making a reduction of three cents on hogs and an advance of four cents on packing-house products. packing-house products.

THE UNITARIANS.

CHICAGO, Oct. 31.—The conference of the Western Unitarians was held today. The object of the meeting is to effect a re-conciliation between the Unitarian churches of the west, which have been divided since the attempt was made in 1886, to put the churches on a purely ethical basis. About half the churches withdrew. The committee appointed yesterday to arrange the details of the organization of the conference association reported today, the man, recommending the organization. The association was formed, and will meet six months hence.

BUFFALO BILL'S SHOW ANTWERP Oct 30 -Mr. John M. Burke and the Indians connected with Buffalo Bill's show, sailed hence today for Philadelphia on the Red Star line steamer Bel-gont, and from Philadelphia the Indians will go to New York. Previous to their departure for the west, they will visit Washington and call upon President Har-

ANTHONY POLITICS.

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Special dispatch to the Daily Earle.

ANTHONY, Kan., Oct. 30.—Hon. S. R.
Peters spoke to a crowded house in the opera house last night and was enthusiastically received. He made a complete exposition of the southern scheme to defeat lingalls bo means of the political alliance; explained the silver bill satisfactorily; showed the absurdities of the bonded warehouse scheme and government purchase of the railroads as advocated by Jerry Simpson; spoke on the tariff; paid his respects to Jerry Simpson as compared with Col. Hallowell, and closed with a fine ailusion to our local ticket, especially our candidate for judge, Hon. I. A. Love. Judge Peters has hosts of friends here, as he was the first judge to hold court in Anthony. He spoke in Harper at 2 o'clock yesterday and had an equally crowded house there.

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Anthony. He spoke in Harper at 2 o clock yesterday and had an equally crowded house there. The prospect looks brighter every day, and we expect to give Col. Hallowell a good big majority in Harper county, as well as elect our county ticket.

A big cattle deal was made here this week, by which Casteen & McDaniel and Arnett Bros., of Anthony, purchased 2,700 head of cattle of Taylor damble & Fain, of Texas. The cattle were to be delivered in the county this week and will be wintered here, making a demand for rough feed.

The Anthony Roller Mill company paid out last week an average of \$1,750 per day for wheat, making quite a distribution of money to our farmers. During the last four days they have bought 125 wagon loads of wheat. This was all for their own consumption, and is exclusive of wheat bought for shipment by desires.

Ex-Governor Rabinson, and Mr. Steen, of Kingman, spoke here Monday night, in the opera house.

HALLOWELL IN SUMNER.

Special Dispatch to the Daily Eagle.
WELLINGTON, Kan., Oct. 30.—Today
Judge Peters made one of the most telling speeches at this place of the campaign, to a good audience. Say to the calamity, Janes, that Colonel Hallowell is all right in Summer county, and that the Republicans are in line.

A PIONEER MISSIONARY.

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STERLING, Kan., Oct. 28. [Special correspondence.]—Today your correspondent had the pleasure of visiting the farm of Rev. A. Johnson, which is one mile esst of this city. Here we found an ideal home and farm. The farm consists of 160 acres, all in a high state of cultivation and improvement. Mr. Johnson took great pride in showing us over his farm and pointing out the many advantages. We first visited the orchard and vineyard, consisting of several acres, which are specially seof several acres, which are specially se-lected and nicely laid out. Next we gazed upon a bunch of 105 hogs, as nice as any-body's, and, also, a bunch of forty head of cattle, which make a fine display. Many other improvements indicated comfort and

The Rev. Mr. Johnson is somewhat of an historical character. His residence in Kansas, perhaps, dates as far back as any. Kansas, perhaps, dates as far back as any, and we doubt if there can be found but few men in the state that can boast of as long a continuous residence as he. The Rev Mr. Johnson landed in Kansas on the 14th day o April, 1840, coming as a missionary to the Shawnee Indians, and built the first mission house in Johnson county, working in the interests of the Quaker church, in which he is a minister to this day. He also operated the first threshing machine ever run in Kansas, in the fall of machine ever run in Kansas, in the fall of 47. The Rev Mr. Johnson was 65 years old an October 28, and is rugged and healthful, and bids fair to live many

Rev. Mr. Johnson's oldest son, Isaac, sails on November 1, from New York, for Rome, Italy, where he goes to attend a course of l-ctures. Isaac is an educator of high standing and is conducting a very large school in New York city.

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The reading of the journal, a serial that there is always enjoyed, was proceeded with to the edification of the members, many of whom were very loud in their complaint of the brevity of ille and sundry other irrelevant matters.

It is a notorious fact that there has been little or no water in the Arkansas for these canals out in western Kansas, which have tapped the river in many places and drained the water therefrom, and left none with which to moisten the soil tributary to the river, and produce the crops, like unto which were produced before the scarcity of water.

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scarcity of water.
These gentlemen believe fully that this is largely the cause for the failure of crops along the river, and are loud in their con-demnation of those parties who have taken the liberty to usurp this water supply, in violation, as they think, of government law. And to us it does look like a gross injustice to farmers of the lower Arkansa river valley.

Mr. Charles Donalson, the genial pro

prictor of the T ans Continental hotel, is recreating this week in Wichita and one or two of her neighboring towns. Politics is all the talk here now, and the people are being treated to a political speech about every night.

THE WEEK'S PORK PACKING. CINCINNATI, O., Oct. 30.-The Price Cur-

rent says: An especially large number of hogs have An especially large number of logs have been marketed the past week in the west, the packing returns showing 380,000 against 250,000 last year. Indications are that October will reach tall 1,200,000, far exceeding any previous record for October. Complete returns for the eight summer months probably show 9,300,000 logs, against 6,80,000 last year, implying a total of approximately 16,0 0,000 for the weeks marker. The leading places comtotal of approximately 16,0 0,000 for the twelve months. The leading places compare as below since March 1:

A LONE HIGHWAYMAN.

TETABRANA, Ark., Oct. 3%.—A lone highwayman held up and robbed four men near here yesterday. Two men named Markham took two bales of cotton to New Boston, where they sold them. On the way back they were confronted on the read by the robber, dressed as a tramp, who emphasized his demand for their money and watches by thrusting a revolver in the free of one of the men. After his demands were acceded to, the man compelled one of them to dismount and jumping upon the horse rode away. Shortly afterwards Mr. Hudgins, one of the attorneys in the Cotton Belt robbery case, and Pollins Rodgers, another attorney, came along, and to them the Markham's related their experience. The story was received with Markham took two bales of cotton to New experience. The story was received with laughter, the attorneys saying that the bravery of two men who allowed one man to rob them, might be questioned. Two o rob them, might be questioned. Two undred yards further on the attorneys were stopped by the same man, and the ex-perience of the Markham's was repeated, and a considerable sum of money and their watches were secured. Hudgins hired a horse from a livery stable and set out after

BALFOUR'S TOUR.

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DUBLIS, Oct. 30.—United Ireland publishes an article today in which it discredits the reports that Mr. Ralfour, while on his tour through the west of Ireland, was received in a friendly manner by the people, and quotes the words in praise of Mr. Balfour, which the Tory press attributes to several priests, in order to give the latter a chance to vindicate their characters by prompt contradiction. The paper says that if the fortearance of the people from expression of their feeling against Mr. Balfour is to be malignantly misconstrued. A MINISTRY DEFEATED.

MELROURNE, Get. 32.—The Victorian ministry has been defeated in the colonial parliament by a vote of want of confidence regarded by the Irish people.

DOINGS OF THE DAY SOUTH OF THE KANSAS LINE.

The Council Hard at Work on the Bill Providing for a System of Taxation for the Territory.

Synopsis of the Bill Now Before the House Regulating Town Lot Coatests-The Powers of the Commissioner.

Oklahoma City's Prospects for a New Rail road-A Letter of Interest to the People of Beaver-A New Bank Territorial Pensions-Other Items.

opecial Disnatch to the Daily Eagla. GUTHRIE, Ok., Oct. 30 .- There is a strong feeling that house joint resolution No. 17, asking that the cost of contesting cases before town site hoards may be diminished, should pass. In many cases the cost of contesting a lot will be more than the yalue of a lot.

COUNCIL

MORNING SESSION.

grapple with education.

The committee The committee on judiciary reported council bill No. 43, providing for taking depositions in Oklahoma, with a recommendation favoring its passage.

Below are the provisions of the bill.

Section 1 Persons holding the proper commission shall be entitled to take depositions.

Sec. 2. The judge of the judicial district shall appoint a court commissioner of depositions. Such person must be an attorney and must have practiced law five years and one year in Oklahoma. He shall receive the same fees as the county judge for like services. He is empowered to administer oaths; to order the clerk of the district court to issue process and to order. district court to issue process and to order the same to be served; to compel witnesses to appear and testify; to rule on questions of evidence; to regulate and control attor-neys and parties before him; to certify and

return depositions as fully as the district judge. Sec 3 Such commission shall confer upon the district court and its commissioner, or probate court or county judge, power to docket a case in that court and

and approval. and approval.

The judiciary committee reported house joint resolution No. 17, and recommended that it be concurred in. This was a resolution asking for the reduction in the expense of contesting cases before the town site boards.

Mr. Merten opposed the resolution on the ground that it has many objectionable features. He would protect the honest lot-owner, but not the blood suckers and Mr. Campbell-I think this resolution an excellect one. It provides for the pro-tection of the poor man, I hope it will

marks in support of the resolu-Adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION At the afternoon session nineteen were

Mr. Daniels made some very pertinent

resent. Mr. Merten was in the chair. Mr. Neal spoke at length against the Messra Campbell, Peery, Daniels and

Long favored it.

After an amendment by Campbell, it passed 18 to 2

The house granted the Heim hose company permission to use the bill.

The committee on military affairs reported favorably house bill No. 29, an act to receive for the house of a real-billing and Long favored it. to provide for the burial of ex-soldiers and

Saliors.

The committee on education reported unfavorably on the school bill.

Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 8, 6, 7,8 and 9 were

Paily Kagle.

The judiciary committee introduced house bill No. 54, to regulate the practice of medicine; No. 55, for printing and distributing the house journal; No. 56, providing for a territorial library, which was read the second time by title and ordered printed.

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Mr. Farnsworth introduced house bill No. 57, locating the argicultural fair at Hennessee, and No. 58, providing for printing the laws of the state by the Capital and Guthrie Democrat, which was read the second time by title and ordered printed.

The governor returned house bill No. 14 (game bill) signed.

House bill No. 28, providing for the excomption from taxes, and No. 39 from the collection of debts were reported by the committee with a recommendation that they do not pass.

they do not pass.

The report was adopted.

House bill No. 30 was reported by the committee (limiting foreign actions) and was passed with some amendments.

Speaker Pro Tem. Jones is in Wichita.

The devotion of some of the members to the girl pages is marked. Mr. Perry objects to woman suffrage and to the effects of alcoholic stimulants being taught in the public schools. It is painful to witness the efforts of the lobby to be entertained when an ordinary bill is under consideration.

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The Democrats had a rousing meeting in representative hall tonight. Mr. Lane made a splendid speech, and short speeches were made by Messra. McCoy and Ross.

BEAVER GOSSIP.

BEAVER Ok., Oct. 28—[Special correspondence.] It may not be amiss to announce that Beaver county is progressing finely. Although we are not having a boom, yet business is in a very healthy condition. While we have some people who ought to have assistance, most of the citizens of Beaver county are well fixed. No government aid has yet been distributed in this county. Still, we learn that a car load of provisions are at Liberal, Kan, for this county, but, owing to heavy freight charges, we cannot get it. Instead of paying the freight charges, we prefer to use that amount of money toward pur liasing provisions for those who need them.

One thing that puzzles our people is to know what our legislature is doing for the territory. We had hoped that a school law would be one of the first acts of our lawmak-rs. Yet we seem to be doomed to wait for it, and do not know the reason

CHICAGO, Oct. 30.—"My God! you have murdered iny son!" It was the despairing cry of a grief-stricken woman, startling try of a grief-stricken woman, attailing the spectators in judge Tuley's crowded cours room, as Clerk Jones read the verdlet which consgned William Mocyell and James McGrath to a living death in the peolite which consgned William Mocyell and James McGrath to a living death in the peolite which consgned William Mocyell and James McGrath to a living death in the peolite which consgned William Mocyell and James McGrath to a living death in the peolite which consgned William Mocyell and James McGrath to a living death in the peolite which consgned William Mocyell and James McGrath to a living death in the peolite which consgned William Mocyell and James McGrath to a living death in the peolite which consgned William Mocyell and James McGrath to a living death in the peolite which consgned Wil COUNCIL

MORNING SESSION.

A resolution was presented in the council employes reading during the sessions.

The committee of the whole again took up the tax bill, and disposed of about twenty pages of it.

Assessment blanks for the guidance of assessment blanks for the guidance of taxable property in his county, with the territorial auditor a numerical list of taxable property in his county, with the assessed values.

It provides that the county commissioners shall constitute a board of equalization to the assessed value, to secure uniformity, but without changing the aggreate amount.

The governor, territorial auditor and secretary constitute a territorial board to equalize the territorial tax among the different counties.

The rules fixed by the bill are: The general territorial tax is not to be less than one-half mill, nor more than its mills on the dollar valuation for ordinary county revenue, including the support of the post, not more than its mills on the dollar ror than three mills, on the dollar valuation for ordinary county revenue, including the support of the post, not more than six mills on the dollar for bridges and roads; a poil tax of \$1.30, or a day's work for male citizens between the ages of 21 and 50; a bridge tax, not to exceed two mills on the dollar, or labor at the rate of \$1.50 per day; for county sinking fund, such rate as, in the estimation of the county commissioners, will pay one year's interest on the county's outstanding debt and fifteen per cent on the principal.

HOUSE.

Manual General displayed a property in the county commissioners will pay one year's interest on the county's outstanding debt and fifteen per cent on the principal.

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MORNING SESSION.

Old Sol found seventeen members ready to grappie with legislation.

Speaker Pro Tem Jones being absent. Mr. Merten occupied the chair.

With unprecedented courage the chaplair asked the blessing of Omnipotence upon this legislative body.

The reading of the journal, a serial that is always enjoyed, was proceeded with to the edification of the members, many of whom were lest in contemplation of the brevity of life and sundry other irrelevant matters.

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TERRITORY PENSIONS. Washington, Oct. 32.—Territory pen-sions granted today: Original, Invalid.—Starling Parsons,

Red Oak

John Shavers, alias Chafers, Crescent City. KANSAS AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE. MANHATTAN, Kan: Oct. 30.—At the meeting of the Board of Regents of the State Agricultural College N. S. Mayo was appointed to the chair of physiology sioner, or probate court or county judge, power to docket a case in that court and provide for the subpornaing of witnesses.

Sec. 4. Subpornas to be in the same form as those used in civil cases.

Sec. 5. Witnesses shall not be compelled to attend a greater distance than 100 miles; mileage, 10 cents per mile, one way, and per dizon of £2, to be tendered in advance.

Sec. 6. The party subpoensed, should be fail to respond, will be deemed guilty of contempt, and unless excused by the contempt, and in some should be fail to respond, will be dremed guilty of contempt, and unless excused by the party in the regular income from all separates in the county jail until he or she will appear in court and testify; and is also liable for all costs incurred in compelling attendance of witnesses in same county.

Sec. 7. Regarding the attendance of witnesses in same county.

Sec. 8. Parties residing in another county may be compelled to attend accounts of the differences of opinion with the post office departments and for various articles of equipment in the college, which was anspended for a niouth, on account of the difference of the college, which was anspended for a niouth, on account of the difference of the college, which was an approval.

Sec. 10. Depositions to be sent to court of law office.

Sec. 11. The party taking depositions which will be sent free to inone who will apply. Larges additions have wanted in the co

TOPERA, Kan., Oct. 39.—Senator Ingalis delivered two appeches here today to large and enthusiastic audiences, and in the evening he spoke to a vast audience filling the Grand opers house to such an extent that many hundreds were com-pelled to despair of getting in. Major J. K. Hudson presided and Hon. A. L. Williams made the first speech, devoting himself to a critical examination of bimself to a critical examination of the Foster-Phillips decision, which he described as lacking both law and logar. Judge Conkin delivered a short speech, and was followed in an eloquent and comprehensive two hours' address by Senator lingails, who was at his best, and was continually incorrupted with applause. The rally was the largest and most enthusiastic of the canpaign.

O'BRIEN AND DILLON'S MISSSION LOSION, Oct. 30.—The Cologue Gazette reports an interview had by a correspondent with T. P. O'Connor on Irish affairs. Among other things Mr. O'Connor is reported as saying that the O'Brien-Dillon mission to the United States was not in connection with the Irish potate families which was the business of the British government. Mr. O'Connor added that their only connects was to secure funds for on its only concern was to secure funds for politi-cal uses. It was expected that I 0.00 pounds would be raised in the United States. He himself would probably go to anala, as O'Brien and Dillon would not i venture there.

# CRIME'S RECORD.

THE CALENDAR OF EVENTS IN THE CRIMINAL WORLD.

Scene in a Chicago Court of Justice Upon the Conviction of the Murderers of a Policeman.

Brutal Murder of a Young Girl in Georgia by an Unknown Party-Brigands Murder and Roba Party at a Railway.

Adjourned.
Mr. Coison was unexpectedly called The Conduct of Birchall While in Jail Awaiting His End-A Man and Wife Found Dead in Bed at Chicago-Corrigan and the Obicago Race Gamblers -Notes

BRUTAL MURDER OF A GIRL BRUTAL MURDER OF A GIRL.

ATLANTA, GR., Oct. 20.—The news of the brutal murder of a young lady has reached here from Rockmart. The victim is Miss Baker, and her home has been in Stilesborn. The crime was committed about 8 o'clock yesterday morning. She was alone in a field, where she was at work, when she was assaulted and beaten to death. A heavy club was the weapon used by the murderer, and after completing his bloody work, the mangled bedy of the dead girl was dragged some distance to a spot near the line of the railroad, where an effort was made to hide the crime by concealing the remains under a brush pile. Suspicion was made to hide the crime by concealing the remains under a brush pile. Suspicion was aroused by the failure of the young lady to return home at her usual hour, and her father started out to the field in search of her. After some little time, his attention was directed to the brush pile, and, upon locking closer, he found the dead and mangled body of his daughter.

The whole county is up in arms, and a vigorous search is being made for the perpetrator of the crime. If he is found, a lynching is certain.

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in regard to the right of way through the city have been adjusted, and everybody is rejoicing over the prospect of a speedy completion of the road.

NEW BANK FOR OKLAHOMA.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—An application for authority to organize the Oklahoma National Bank of Oklahoma City, at Oklahoma City, ok, has been filed with the comptroller of the currency by L. A. Gitbert and his associates.

MURDERED BY BRIGANDS.

PESTH, Oct. 30.—The residents of the southwest of this city, are greatly excited over a horrible crime that has been committed there. A coro dealer named Blefron, accompanied by his wife, two children and a maid servant, was at the railroad station awaiting the arrival of a trail, when a number of brigands made an attack upon the party, all the members of which were killed and robbed of what valuables they had about them.

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af BIRCHALL'S INDIFFERENCE.

Tononto, Out., Oct. 20.—An affidavis has been filed asking for an examination of J. Reginald Birchall, now lying under sentence of death in Woodstock jail, as a material witness in a libel suit brought by Grosvenor Hood Graems against the Globe, on account of an alleged Insimuation in the paper that Graeme might have had something to do with the murder of Benwell. The motion is to be argued tomorrow, and it is to be resisted on the ground that Birchall is at present legally and civ. but Birchall is at present legally and civ-lly dead to the law, and that, therefore, his testimony is valueless. FOUND DEAD.

Cincago, Oct. 33 - William Lettling and wile were found dead in bed this morning, at their tearding house on Ellis avenue. They had been applyxiated by gas. has not yet been determined FEEHAN'S JUBILEE.

CHICASO, Oct. 30.—The second day of Archbishop Feshan's silver jubiles opened with a tribute from the little folks of the church. At ten o clock alous 8,000 children from the parochial schools of the city gathered at the auditorium to beliday attire city bands, banbers and contients. The archbishop and visiting bishops were cented on the stage, and belitted them even the body of the clergy. The children filled his great auditorium to overflowing walls have members of the nauventional orders occupied the boxes. The little people, under the direction of the teachers, presented a literary and musical programme, including the singing of a number of mathonal anthoms.